



# The Bethel News.

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## THE NEWS ABOUT TOWN

### ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED UP BY THE NEWS MAN.

Mr. Chauncey Bryant is ill with the measles.

Mrs. E. A. Capen has been ill for the past few days.

Mr. W. J. Wheeler of South Paris was in Bethel Monday.

Mrs. Harry Brown returned from Boston Saturday evening.

Leslie and Mollie Wight are recovering from the measles.

Miss Edith Farwell of Gilead visited Mrs. Alice Farwell last Thursday.

Miss Ellen Hall visited Mrs. Kendrick at Mrs. H. H. Bean's, Tuesday.

Mrs. Eliza Chase of Bluehill is with her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Herrick in Bethel.

Mr. J. W. Carter started for Phillips Monday morning where he has work for the winter.

Miss Lula Arno, who has been enjoying a two weeks' vacation, has returned to the News office.

Mr. John Nelson of the News force has been taking his turn with the measles for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Moore of Auburn have been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bean.

The Cross Block on Main street has been newly roofed with tar roofing. Parties from away did the work.

Mr. C. A. Goodwin and Mr. Ernest Goodwin have been spending their vacation at home during the past week.

The annual meeting of the Oxford Universalist Association will be held at South Paris, Oct. 24 and 25. Special rates of the G. T. R.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rowe have closed their summer home on Broad street and gone to their Boston home for the winter.

Dr. F. B. Tuell is making marked improvements on his Broad street residence including the building of an extensive addition to his house which will add much to its looks and conveniences. A new bath room has been installed.

Mr. L. W. Bartlett and Mr. James S. Bartlett are at Richardson Lake with their teams engaged in lumbering for Edward N. Carter who has a logging contract there and has already begun operations.

A movement is on foot to have closed by act of the next legislature Sunday River and its tributaries for a term of five years excepting from the law a portion of the streams for one day of each week. At present the river is so much fished that it is spoiled for good fishing and it is desired to have it protected for a term of years. The large amount of summer travel in the vicinity as well as local demands render it desirable that the trout fishing in the vicinity be preserved.

Mr. Fred Clark, who suffered a serious injury of one eye several weeks ago by the explosion of a cartridge and who has been to the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary for treatment, returned home last Sunday. His eye is very much improved and he feels confident of a complete recovery of its use. The case was a serious one and Mr. Clark has all reason for being thankful for so favorable results even though the accident has caused him about six weeks of anxiety and suffering.

An additional crew of laborers has been put on to the work which the Grand Trunk Company is doing at its station here, where the track is being lowered from one to five feet extending westerly from the depot to and beyond the overhead bridge. The old wooden bridge will give place to a new iron structure of wider span and double tracks will extend beneath and beyond the bridge. The crew has been working here all summer and there is much more to do. It is said that in addition to the original plan, the siding on the southern side of the track will be extended to the bridge and a bank will be put in on Railroad street so that cars can be loaded directly from the wagons. All this calls for large expenditure of money and will add greatly to the facilities of the company at this point. Large quantities of wood, lumber, hay and the manufactured products of the mills of the town are shipped from here and the improvements were much needed to conveniently take care of the increasing business of this section.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. J. U. Purington Thursday afternoon.

Miss Harriet Foss is spending the week with Mrs. Rose Frost at Locke Mills.

Mrs. Lucinda Goodwin has been visiting relatives in Massachusetts the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Garey have been spending several days in Ketchum, hunting.

Miss Rachel Staples and Mrs. Gerry Wing of Bryant's Pond, were in our village last Monday.

Mrs. Mary Everett, who has been caring for Mrs. W. A. Bunting, has returned to her home in Deering.

Our mail carrier, Mr. James Hutchins, is taking a forced vacation, being detained at his home by the measles.

Prin. F. E. Hanscom, who has been suffering from lumbago for the past week is able to be about again.

Mrs. B. S. Burbank of Gilead, who recently purchased the Mary A. Merrill place on Church street has moved into her new home.

Prof. W. S. Wight and little daughter, Marie, started for Lincoln Tuesday, where he will conduct singing classes for the next few months.

Most of the academy students who have been sick with measles are now able to be out, and school will re-open Monday, Oct. 29th.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Frances Stowe at her home in South Paris. Mrs. Stowe resided in our village for several years.

The harvest fair at Patten Hall last Thursday was a success both financially and socially. The ladies wish to thank all who attended for their patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. Loton F. Hutchinson, formerly of Bethel, but now of East Weymouth, Mass., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Ethel Thea.

Mr. Henry Douglass, who is employed on the G. T. R. R., has moved his family to Island Pond. Mrs. Douglass' mother, Mrs. Emery, will stay with them this winter.

The meeting for the organization of the Soldiers' Memorial Association will be held at Patten's Hall on Monday evening, Oct. 29, instead of Oct. 22, as announced last week.

News has been received of the death of Mrs. Susannah Twitchell Mason, widow of the late Rev. J. K. Mason, at her home in Boston on Oct. 18, 1906. Interment at Herndon, Va.

Dr. Fossett, wife and daughter and P. Greely of Portland, visited at Calvin Sanborn's one day last week. Robert Sanborn, after enjoying ten days' vacation at home, returned to Portland with them.

The auction of household goods of Mrs. Penley at the home of Roscoe Emery in Albany, which was to have been held Monday afternoon, was postponed until Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock sharp, when positive sale will take place.

### FESTIVAL CHORUS.

It is hoped that all those interested in the chorus work for the coming year, will meet the former president, A. D. Colson, at his home on Thursday evening, Oct. 25, at 7 o'clock sharp.

In many respects the work of the chorus has been of great benefit to our churches especially, as well as a wholesome influence in our town, generally speaking.

An increasing interest in the work would mean a proportionately greater good, and nothing less than this would be an adequate testimony of our appreciation of its benefits. A. D. C.

### UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Sunday, Oct. 27th. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. Topic, "God's Masterpiece." Text: Psalms, 8:3-6. Sunday school at 12 m. r. P. C. U. at 7 p. m. Topic, "Christ in Our Lives." Leader, Miss Annie M. Frye.

There is unusual interest in our Sunday school. Classes are gradually increasing and this fact has stimulated our teachers with more zeal and their instruction cannot fail to be of great benefit to the young. Mr. Elery C. Park, who has much natural as well as acquired ability for interesting and instructing the young, has the class of boys from ten years old up, and will cordially welcome all boys, not otherwise engaged, as members of his class.

### A LITERARY CURIOSITY.

A Remarkable Poem to Which Thirty-Eight Poets Contribute a Line Each.

The following very remarkable little poem is a contribution to the San Francisco Times from the pen of Mr. H. A. Deming. The reader will see that each line is a quotation from some one of the standard authors of England and America. This is the result of years of laborious search among the voluminous writings of thirty-eight leading poets of the past and present. The number of each line refers to its author below:

1. Why all this toil for triumphs of an hour?
2. Life's a short summer, man's a flower.
3. By turns we catch the vital breath and die.
4. The cradle and the tomb, alas! so nigh.
5. To be is better far than not to be.
6. Though all men's lives may seem a tragedy;
7. But light cares speak when mighty griefs are dumb,
8. The bottom is but shallow whence they come.
9. Your fate is but the common fate of all;
10. Unmingled joys here no man can befall.
11. Nature to each allots its proper sphere;
12. Fortune makes folly her particular care.
13. Custom does often reason over-rule.
14. And throws a cruel sunshine on a fool.
15. Live well; how long or short, permit to heaven;
16. They who forgive most shall be most forgiven.
17. Sin may be clasped so close we cannot see its face—
18. Vile intercourse where virtue has no place.
19. Then keep each passion down, however dear,
20. Thou pendulum betwixt a smile and tear.
21. Her sensual snare let faithless pleasure lay,
22. With craft and skill to ruin and betray.
23. Soar not too high to fall, but stoop to rise,
24. We masters grow of all that we despise.
25. Oh, then, renounce that impious self-esteem!
26. Riches have wings and grandeur is a dream.
27. Think not ambition wise because 'tis brave
28. The paths of glory lead but to the grave.
29. What is ambition? 'Tis a glorious cheat—
30. Only destructive to the brave and great.
31. What's all the gaudy glitter of a crown?
32. The way of bliss lies not on beds of down.
33. How long we live not years but actions tell—
34. The man lives twice who lives the first life well.
35. Make, then, while yet you may, your God your friend,
36. Whom Christians worship, yet not comprehend.
37. The trust that's given guard and to yourself be just,
38. For live we how we can, die we must.

- 1, Young; 2, Dr. Johnson; 3, Pope; 4, Prior; 5, Sewell; 6, Spencer; 7, Daniel; 8, Sir Walter Scott; 9, Longfellow; 10, Southwell; 11, Congreve; 12, Churchill; 13, Rochester; 14, Armstrong; 15, Milton; 16, Bailey; 17, Trench; 18, Somerville; 19, Thompson; 20, Byron; 21, Smollett; 22, Crabbe; 23, Massinger; 24, Cowley; 25, Deatlie; 26, Cowper; 27, Sir Walter Devenant; 28, Gray; 29, Willis; 30, Addison; 31, Dryden; 32, Francis Charles; 33, Watkins; 34, Herrick; 35, William Mason; 36, Pili; 37, Dana; 38, Shakespeare.

### BROKEN GROUND.

Foundation for New Mill Being Put In.

The success of the new mill project at Bethel has been assured and work has actually begun. The mill will be located just north of the railroad near the overhead bridge.

A crew began work last week on the foundation and considerable progress has been made. It is the intention of Mr. Springer to get everything ready for the sills before the ground freezes and during the winter material will be gotten in readiness so that in the early spring work will be resumed and pushed to a rapid completion.

## Ladies' Heavy Jersey Underwear.

In order to introduce my line of underwear I shall offer some exceptionally good values in 25c and 50c goods. Long sleeved Jersey corset covers 25c each. Medium weight long sleeved undervests for fall wear 25c.

EDWARD KING,

Bethel, Maine

### BUSINESS POINTERS.

Business Readers will be published in this column at eight cents per line, reckoning seven words to the line.

#### I saw it among the Business Pointers.

Bring in your order for engraved cards. I have several orders to send in Thursday. Pushard's Drug Store. It's the opinion of all that By-lo Talcum Powder is the best. Try a box. 25c at Pushard's Drug Store. See window display.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Next Sunday morning, service of worship with sermon theme, "The Value of the Church." As a prelude to the sermon, a brief talk on "Misrepresented Lawyers."

Sunday school at twelve o'clock. Lesson Review. Christian Endeavor Meeting at 6:45. Topic, "Livingstone and his Work." Introductory reading, "Credit and Other Rewards of Merit," by Prof. Hanscom.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

### GROVER HILL.

Bennie Tyler of Mason was a recent guest at the home of his brother, Maurice F. Tyler.

Elbi Stearns bought A. L. Whitman's winter apples one day last week. Blmer and Edward Lyon from Auburn are enjoying a hunting trip in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spinney and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mundt entertained a party of relatives from Sunday River last Sunday.

Mr. Whitten of West Bethel bought True Browne's apples.

Karl Stearns and Evander Whitman are both ill with the measles.

Mr. J. A. Paine has been doing some carpenter work for Rachel Maybrey.

C. E. Paine is working for A. B. Grover this fall.

Peter Wheeler has a very nice flock of sheep.

Mrs. Eliza Spinney went to Norway a few weeks ago to have her eyes fitted to spectacles.

### EAST BETHEL.

Mr. H. E. Bartlett is burning a large kiln of brick.

Mr. Charles Bryant has gone to the hospital in Lewiston for treatment.

Mr. William R. Swan of Lynn, Mass., recently visited friends here.

Mrs. S. E. Rich has moved her household goods to Berlin, N. H., and is to make her future home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker have been visiting at Lewiston, Poland Springs and South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Holt and Mrs. Sarah Perry returned home to Massachusetts this week.

A number in the family of Mr. Judson Bartlett are having the measles. Miss Nellie Preble is caring for them.

### NEWRY.

A. B. Frost is attending court at South Paris this week.

Norman Dudley, wife and two children from Bethel, visited at E. B. Knapp's last Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Bailey and daughter, Mabel, visited at North Newry last Saturday and Sunday.

A. H. Powers is at work for W. B. Wight, plastering his new house.

Mrs. W. F. Small has gone to Portland for a few days.

Fred Kilgore was called home last Friday by the illness of his daughter.

W. F. Small got a fine deer last Friday morning.

## Head Splitting

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### GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

#### TRAINS GOING EAST.

|                    | A.M. | P.M.  |
|--------------------|------|-------|
| Island Pond, leave | 1.55 | 6.30  |
| Orkham, .....      | 4.00 | 3.20  |
| West Bethel, ..... | 4.35 | 3.40  |
| Bethel, .....      | 4.35 | 3.40  |
| Leake Mills, ..... | 4.45 | 3.50  |
| Bayant Pond, ..... | 5.05 | 3.15  |
| South Paris, ..... | 5.35 | 3.45  |
| Lewiston, .....    | 6.40 | 10.45 |
| Portland, arrive   | 7.30 | 11.40 |

#### TRAINS GOING WEST.

|                    | A.M.  | P.M. |
|--------------------|-------|------|
| Portland, leave    | 2.15  | 1.30 |
| Lewiston, .....    | 9.05  | 3.25 |
| South Paris, ..... | 10.07 | 3.35 |
| Bayant Pond, ..... | 10.34 | 4.05 |
| Leake Mills, ..... | 10.41 | 4.15 |
| Bethel, .....      | 10.50 | 4.25 |
| West Bethel, ..... | 10.57 | 4.35 |
| Orkham, .....      | 11.07 | 4.51 |
| Gorham, .....      | 11.30 | 5.20 |

#### TRAINS GOING WEST.

|                    | A.M. | P.M.  |
|--------------------|------|-------|
| Island Pond, ..... | 1.30 | 7.30  |
| Bethel, .....      | 7.00 | 12.40 |
| Montreal, .....    | 7.00 | 7.00  |

#### SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

Excursions to Gorham and Bethel leave from 10:30 a.m. and will run each Sunday from Oct. 22, fare \$4.00, round trip. Excursion leaving Bethel at 4 p.m. returning leaves Bethel at 4 p.m. D. E. HAYES, Agent.

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## A STRONG PETITION.

Voters and Tax-payers ask for Right to Put up Telephone Poles in Rumford.

J. B. Philbrook of Andover circulated a petition asking the selectmen to grant the privilege of setting telephone poles along the highways of Rumford. Mr. Philbrook represents the farmers in the neighboring towns who desire a line of telephones connecting the rural districts with Rumford Falls. Many towns on the west side of the river are connected by a farmers' telephone system, and among themselves have cheap and quick intercommunication.

The proposed line is to run to several towns not now connected with either line that is in operation. It is understood that the new line is to be independent of the others in a business sense, but will have a connecting service, and the result will be the establishment of a telephone service between the following places: The Andovers, the Newrys, Bethel, Hanover, Rumford Center, South and East Rumford, Rumford Point, Peru, Dickvale, Milton and some other points.

Nearly every farm house will have an instrument, and with direct communication with Rumford Falls, the farmers and residents in the various villages, would be greatly convenience. In a business sense, Rumford Falls would be greatly benefited, for every store would be connected, and many orders for goods received that perhaps otherwise would go to Lewiston or Portland.

There has been some talk that the selectmen would not give the petitioners a favorable answer, because two years ago a similar request was denied by the selectmen. The alleged cause of the denial, was that it would conflict with the New England Company, and that no poles could be set without the consent of the power company.

The present petition bears the names of seven-eighths of the merchants at the Falls, and almost every farmer between the Falls and the Center. All the signers are voters and tax payers, and it is safe to say that a more forceful document was never presented to the selectmen of Rumford. It can not fail to carry a great influence. The old claim that the privileges of the New England Company will be jeopardized, is not true now, if it ever was. In fact the whole aspect of the case is changed. There is no expectation that the residents of Rumford Falls will be connected with the new line—the only purpose is to put the merchants in direct communication with the farming community. When this line is in operation, every store will be directly connected with every farm house between the Falls and the Center. This service will be given without a central office, and in fact no central office is needed. The connection with side lines will be made at the last house on the direct line, where a switch will be placed, and some members of the family will operate it when necessary.

Each farmer and merchant who places one of these telephones in his house or store, buys it outright, and pays from \$25 to \$30 according to the style of the instrument. There is no further expense attached to the service.

The present utility of the rural service as now in operation, is largely social. It is appreciated by the farmers' families, as it enables them to converse with their neighbors far and near, and besides affording much pleasure, and making life more social and better worth while, it is very useful in emergencies, and a safeguard to women and children who may be left alone in isolated farm dwellings, as is frequently necessary.

The editor interviewed many of the business men, and failed to find one who was not very much in favor of the project. It is reported that a very few objected, but if so, they did not meet the Citizen man.

The interest in this matter is of the same nature as that taken in the electric railway. Everyone seems to be fully alive to the imperative needs of the town and suburban places.

### EAST PERU.

Miss Vina Irish is at home to spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Irish.

It is rumored that Mrs. Ludden has sold her farm to a party from Rumford Falls.

Mr. Fred Holman of Ohio, is spending his vacation in this place, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holman.

E. M. Howard and wife visited their daughters at Livermore over Sunday.

Miss Florence Holman is at home for a few days' visit.

Mr. Varney is reported as quite comfortable at present.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. Burdock Blood Bitters conquers dyspepsia every time. It drives out impurities, tones the stomach, restores perfect digestion, normal weight, and good health.

## TOOK CASTINGS GOT 30 DAYS.

A. J. Keirstead of Mexico, employed in the Oxford mill, was before Judge Johnson last Monday afternoon, on charges preferred by Daniel McMaisters, Superintendent of the mill.

The evidence proved that Mr. Keirstead had taken some brass castings belonging to the company. The witnesses were officer John J. Bell, Mr. McMaisters and two employees of the company. The defense offered no rebuttal evidence, although lawyer Stevenson made an argument in which he claimed that no evidence had been put in by the state to show whether the castings were made of brass or bronze, or that they might not have been made and used for other paper machines than those in the Oxford mill.

Mr. Parker for the state, argued that all the objections made by the counsel for the defendant, were shrewdly evaded, but had no basis of fact. Judge Johnson took that view and sentenced Mr. Keirstead to 30 days in Paris Jail. Mr. Keirstead manifested no surprise at the sentence imposed. It is seldom that a man of such likely appearance as Mr. Keirstead, appears before this or any other court charged with theft.

### DAMAGE BY LIGHTNING AT PERU.

In a heavy shower here Tuesday evening, the lightning struck the house of C. S. Walker, entering three rooms on the first floor, tearing off paper, plastering, sheathing, window cases, and breaking a mirror into atoms. Two old ladies sitting in one of the rooms, were both made quite deaf for a number of days. Two men in the same room were not affected in the least. Of course all were greatly frightened. From Mr. Walker's, about one-fourth mile below, the lightning entered the house of Bert Knox, doing some damage and Mrs. Knox, who had just put her little girls to bed, and was sitting on the bedside, was knocked over onto the bed and was unable to speak for a short time. She was also made deaf for a few hours. Without doubt, the lightning followed the wires, as it entered the cellar of H. R. Robinson and there exploded and ended without doing any damage.

### KILLED BY AN AUTO.

Fears of Aged John M. Stevens of Portland at Last Realized.

John M. Stevens, aged 77, and employed as a freight clerk for the Eastern Steamship Co., was knocked down by a light run-about on Congress Square and died at a hospital a few hours later. He sustained internal injuries and at his age was unable to withstand the physical shock. Three daughters and one son survive. Mr. Stevens frequently had expressed a fear of automobiles.

### BENEDICT ARNOLD'S WILL.

Figured in a Law Suit Just Decided at Newport, R. I.

The will of Benedict Arnold was presented in evidence in a suit which has just been decided adversely to the Rhode Island society of the Sons of the American Revolution by a jury in that city. The case was brought by the state of Rhode Island at the instance of the society to obtain possession of a right of way to the grave of Benedict Arnold, who was the first Colonial governor of Rhode Island. In behalf of the state it was claimed that the defendant, John D. Johnson had closed the approach to the burying ground. The defence introduced the will of Arnold dated 1878, describing the place where he desired to be buried and reserving the lot for the use of his relatives. The jury found for the defendant holding that there was no public right of way to the burying ground over the land of the plaintiff.

A similar case against Hiram Burlingame who owns property abutting on another side of the burying ground will probably be tried at the next session of the superior court.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Remembered.

"Did he remember you in his will?" "Yes, did gash him! He remembered to insert the statement of what I owed the estate."—Cleveland Leader.

## OPERATIONS AVOIDED

Two Grateful Letters from Women Who Avoided Serious Operations.—Many Women Suffering from Like Conditions Will Be Interested.



When a physician tells a woman, suffering from female trouble, that an operation is necessary it, of course, frightens her.

The very thought of the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart. As one woman expressed it, when told by her physician that she must undergo an operation, she felt that her death knell had sounded. Our hospitals are full of women who are there for just such operations! It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but such cases are much rarer than is generally supposed, because a great many women have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after the doctors' operation must be performed. In fact, up to the point where the knife must be used to secure relief, this medicine is certain to help.

The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who, by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, have escaped serious operations.

Margrite Ryan, Treasurer of St. Andrew's Society, Indianapolis, Ind., writes of her cure as follows:

"I cannot find words to express my thanks for the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me. The doctor said I could not get well unless I had an operation for the trouble from which I suffered. I knew I could not stand the strain of an operation and my mind I would be an invalid for life. Hearing how Lydia E. Pinkham's Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

Alcohol and Gasoline. Tests of alcohol and gasoline in the internal combustion engines used in motor vehicles and motor boats indicate that although alcohol has only about 70 per cent. as much heating power as gasoline, it can be used with 20 per cent. less operating waste.

Parched Land of Little Value. In parts of Australia where the average yearly rainfall is not more than ten inches a square mile of land is worth only eight or nine sheep. In the Argentine republic, South America, the same area, with 34 inches of rain, supports 2,560 sheep.

Peculiar Form of Torture. Among African tribes it is customary to torture prisoners of war. One of the legs of the prisoner is pushed through a hole in a heavy log and a spike driven through to hold it in place.

Stations Far from Villages. It is a peculiarity of Russian railways that their stations are generally two miles distant from the smaller towns and villages which they serve. This is said to be on account of the danger of fire, the houses in small places generally being thatched with straw.

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## THE NEWS

A good book and a good woman... excellent things for those who wish to appreciate their value. They are men, however, who judge of the beauty of their covering.

The quotation: "You have done me scatter them in my path while I live, that I may enjoy beauty and inhale their fragrance, certain it is that we are apt to forget the living, and keep our affections up to be poured out only after they are those that have gone we can nothing, but for the living we can reach.

Girls, don't flirt and get acquainted with young men your parents let nothing about. Do not sit in the back making worsted dogs and all trash, while your dear mother is trying to get the house all day the help of one girl to do the work, and going with a shabby old dress, and cloak that you girls may wear dresses, etc. Oh, girls! When busy hands are folded quietly over a living heart that has ceased to year hearts will ache and you think if mother would only come she would be loved and petted as before. Now while you have her by it; just run up and kiss her tell her to put on her things and a walk in the sweet morning air; you will keep house, and see if will look up and smile. Try it, girls.

If every child could be properly instructed intellectually, morally and religiously, a very few generations would suffice to bring about the millennium, and if the foundations of a large cheerfulness could be at the same time laid, by affording to all when full opportunities for innocent enjoyment, what a merry millennium would be. That being out of the question, let us do the best we can. Alas with the tribe of humbugs who children into straight jackets—would cram them in school and automatism of them out of it. Teach children winningly. Make knowledge attractive to them; let them frolic



## THE HOME CIRCLE.

Special Evening Reviews—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle of Evening Tide.

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### That Boy.

His name is not Solomon. There are many things that he does not know. Remember that he is only a boy. You was a child once. Call to mind what you thought, and how you felt. Give him a chance. Keep near to him in sympathy. Be his chum. Do not make too many cast iron laws. Rule with a velvet hand. Help him have a "good time." Answer his foolish questions. Be patient with his pranks. Laugh at his jokes. Sweat over his shortcomings. Limber up your dignity with a game of ball or a half day's fishing. You can win his heart utterly. Hold him steady in the path that leads higher up. That boy has a soul, and a destiny reaching high above the mountain peaks. He is worth a million times his weight in gold.

### Courtesies.

Much of the pleasure of social intercourse depends upon a strict observance of the little courtesies and amenities of life. Too many gave their sweetest smiles and choicest words and nicest attentions for strangers, while their friends are put off with the most meager crumbs of consideration and politeness.

This is nothing but a miserable piece of acting, and whoever assumes the role is bound to be found out sooner or later. It is in the home that all that is best in life should be diffused. There should be kindness, forbearance, gentle manners and loving forethought. Not to strangers, but to the near and dear ones should the treasures of life be distributed. Then when one goes out into the world he is his own natural self. When he does a noble deed, or gives to others an elevating thought, he but gives expression to a nature enriched by the cultivation of the pure and good and true.

Depend upon it that there is habit in manners as well as in tastes and morals. One cannot be a boor at his own fireside and a gentleman at his neighbor's. One cannot be a tender, charitable, sympathetic woman abroad if she is a snarling, quarrelsome creature in her own home.

### Kindness Unspoken.

Do you know that the world is full of kindness, that never was spoken, and that is not much better than no kindness at all? The fuel in the stove makes the room warm, but there are piles of falling trees lying on rocks and on top of hills where nobody can get them; these do not make anybody warm. You might freeze to death for want of wood in plain sight of these fallen trees if you had no means of getting the wood home and making a fire of it. Just so in a family; love is what makes parents and children, the brothers and sisters happy. But if they take care never to say a word about it, if they keep it a profound

### RIGHT THINKING, RIGHT LIFE.

We tend to become, and we grow more and more like that which we cherish, harbor, and constantly long for, and tend to lose or become unlike that which we hate, despise, and habitually deny. The latter gradually loses its grip upon our lives, releases its hold upon character, and finally vanishes. The persistent denial of the theory that we are poor, miserable worms of the dust, victims of limitation, of weakness, of darkness, and of discord, and the stout affirmation of the dominance of truth and beauty, bring out marvelous beauties of character. That which is constantly and persistently denied will ultimately fade out of the consciousness and go out of the life.

A tremendous power permeates the life and solidifies the character from holding perpetually the life-thought, the truth-thought, the cheerful-thought, and the beauty-thought. The one who has the secret takes hold of the very fundamental principles of the universe, gets down to the verity of things, excludes all kinds of errors, and lives in reality itself. A sense of security, of power, of calmness, and of repose comes to the life that is conscious of being enveloped in the very center of truth and reality which can never come to those who live on the surface of things.

It is impossible to estimate the value of the quality of our everyday habits of thought. It makes all the difference in the world whether these habits are healthful or morbid, and whether they lead to soundness or to rottenness. The quality of the thought fixes the quality of the ideal. The ideal can not be high if the thought is low. It is worth everything to face life with the right outlook—a healthful, cheerful, optimistic outlook—with hope that has sunshine in it.

It is easy to gauge the quality of a man's outlook upon life the first time we meet him. We can tell whether there are traces of pessimism in it, whether he is soured by his unfortunate experiences, disheartened by his discouragement, and whether he looks upon everybody with suspicion, or sees and believes in the best in everybody. If he tells us he believes man has his price, we know there is something wrong with his outlook; but, if he is bright, cheerful, and hopeful, if he believes the race is pointing upward toward the millennium, if he congratulates himself because he was born in the nick of time and in the very best part of the world, if he believes in his fellow men, we know that he has a healthful outlook, and that he faces the right way. If he faces toward the light and follows the sun, he will never be in darkness. The shadows will always fall behind him.

We believe in the man who believes in the best in his race; who thinks that all wrong is on the way to its suicide; who considers that discord is simply the absence of harmony, and has no real existence; who understands that darkness is only the absence of light; and who perceives that health is reality and disease is unreality.

### TRAVELS OF MISS MARY GREEN.

"Miss Mary Green" is a rubber doll who appeared one day late last fall in the postoffice of Winchester, Mass. On her dress was fastened a slip of paper which read, "The climate of New England is too severe for this child; please pass her to the Pacific coast for the winter." Some friendly clerk put a stamp on her dress, and sent her to Montana. From there she went to California, then to British Columbia, and from there to Ottawa. Each post-office clerk seems to have enjoyed her society as long as he pleased, then pasted a stamp to her gown and sent her on. At Denver she evidently attended a banquet of the mailing clerks, and had some new traveling garments given her. Her dress is said to be covered over with postage stamps from various offices in the United States and around her neck are tied several "poems" written in her honor. She also wears newspaper badges from many different states, showing the honor with which she was received at the various literary banquets which she had attended. From Ottawa she brought back a tag which proved to be a pass to the gallery of the House of Commons.—Penny.

"Do you wish for a kindness? Be kind. Do you wish for a truth? Be true. What you give of yourself you find—Your world is a reflex of you."

### Attempting the Impossible.

Don't flatter yourself that you can commit a sin without being found out. Thousands have tried it and failed.

## POSSIBILITIES IN A SNOW-BANK.

At the western extremity of Wyoming lies a bed of mountains covering an area millions of square miles in extent. They include some of the highest peaks of the Rockies, many of which rise in the regions of perpetual snow. Three great rivers and countless small streams take their rise in the savage recesses of these mountains and every one of them heads in a snow-bank. The Snake, trickling from "the beautiful work of frost" fourteen thousand feet above the sea level in the Wind river range, eventually emerges after a tortuous course upon the lava plains of Idaho, makes a vast horse-shoe bend through the southern half of the state, bursts through the barriers of the Blue Mountains and finally joins the Columbia in its course to the Pacific at Astoria. The Colorado, finding its source in the same mighty mountains, flows hundreds of miles through rugged canyons until it empties into the gulf of California. The Yellowstone is first but a few snow drops from the same pure well, before it starts on its picturesque course through the great Park to join the Missouri far away to the southeast.

A hundred thousand farms in five adjoining states depend on these snow-banks for the water supply, without which they can produce no crops. It is the snow fall in the mountains which makes possible the government's irrigation system, which has been inaugurated for the redemption of millions of acres of arid land. The melted snows of the cloud-seeking mountains are now under government direction, being intelligently utilized on an extensive scale for the first time. While irrigation has been practiced in this country for many centuries and by races long extinct, the possibilities of the arid and semi-arid regions, an area equal to two-fifths of the United States, have only recently been known. The sage-brush country that has been lying fallow and useless for centuries, furnishing nests for jack rabbits and hiding places for the deadly rattler, is to be reclaimed. It has all the natural resources required for a fruitful country. Its climate is healthful and salubrious, its valleys and plains possess a soil of inexhaustible fertility. But there is one fatal defect. There is no rainfall, and without this the other elements of productivity are but barren mockeries.

Science, however, finds a way through the greatest difficulties and the snow-flakes in the mountains are to be induced to do what has failed as the result of the withheld rainfall. There is an abundance of water, streams flowing in every direction, but these avail nothing for the benefit of the thirsty land that they do not touch. Their waters must be lifted out of the deep channels and forced to overflow the land instead of wasting themselves in desert sinks or evaporating uselessly under the influence of torrid heat. This is the great problem underlying the government's reclamation service, a work of internal expansion greater than was ever attempted by any other nation. Mightiest of tasks indeed it is, nothing short of the conquest of the desert, which is to be replaced by millions of smiling farm homes. Already the dimensions of the sagebrush country have been much narrowed and there has been wrested from a region long regarded as absolutely worthless a crop-producing, home-supporting area of inexhaustible fertility, greater in extent than the commonwealths of Massachusetts and Connecticut and capable of supporting an equal population. More than \$100,000,000 have been expended in irrigation works and 60,000 miles of canals now carry the life-giving waters to 10,000,000 acres which each year produce crops valued at more than \$15,000,000. Conservative scientists estimate that the public domain contains not less than 30,000,000 acres of lands for which an adequate supply of water can be obtained by storing floods and constructing the necessary canals and ditches.

The potentiality of this irrigable area will be more fully appreciated when it is remembered that the density of population of irrigated areas in similar zones indicates that the reclamation of our irrigable public domain will provide homes for fully 15,000,000 people. A summation of the work of the reclamation service for the last four years in which it has been organized shows that it has built 182 miles of main canals, some of them having the size of rivers, ninety miles of distributing canals and 350 miles of ditches. It has constructed and has in operation 340 miles of telephone, 184 miles of roads in canyons, involving deep cuts. It has excavated 16,500,000 cubic yards of material and six and one-half miles of tunnels. The estimated cost of these projects is \$35,930,000, and the total acreage to be reclaimed is 1,164,000. The engineers estimate that it will require the sum of \$55,250,000 in addition to the amount already allotted to complete the projects upon which actual construction has now commenced. The total acreage embraced by the finished works will be 2,998,000.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

## ACHED IN EVERY BONE.

Chicago Society Woman Who Was So Sick She Could Not Sleep or Eat, Cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.

When a woman's kidneys go wrong, her back gives out and every little task becomes a burden. She is tired, nervous, sleepless, run down—suffers daily from backache, headaches, dizzy spells, and bearing-down pains. Don't worry over imagined "female troubles." Cure the kidneys and you will be well. Read how to find the cure.

Marion Knight, of 33 N. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill., member of the Chicago Federation of Musicians and a well-known club woman, says: "This winter when I started to use Doan's Kidney Pills I ached in every bone and had intense pains in the kidneys and pelvic organs. The urine was thick and cloudy, and I could barely eat enough to live. I felt a change for the better within a week. The second week I began eating heartily. I began to improve generally, and before seven weeks had passed I was well. I had spent hundreds of dollars for medicine that did not help me, but \$6 worth of Doan's Kidney Pills restored me to perfect health."

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Miss Knight will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-McLure Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sold by all dealers; price, fifty cents per box.



### "Drowned Rivers."

In nearly every case these natural bottles are what the geographer calls "drowned rivers." That is to say, the coastal lands in the vicinity have subsided, allowing the sea to flow in and convert what was a lowland valley into a partly inclosed marine area.

Divers have gone to the bottom of New York bay and have found there the ancient bed of the Hudson river, as that stream flowed before the mouthward part of its valley subsided into the sea. The old bed reaches through the narrows and well out into the floor of the Atlantic. Of course, as the sea water entered the sinking valley, any hills rising thereabout would become islands, in the new order of things. And there we find them to this day, in almost any of these inclosed islets.—St. Nicholas.

### Perforated Sails.

Although the assertion recently made by an Italian sea captain that the power of sails was increased by their being perforated was ridiculed, it has just been proved that he was right.

His theory was that the force of the wind cannot fairly take effect on an inflated sail because of the cushion of immovable air that fills up the hollows. To prevent the creation and presence of that cushion, he pierced his sails with many holes, through which the wind blew, the balance of the air pressure striking against the canvas and exercising its full effect.

Several experiments have been made on these lines, and the results are declared to have been eminently satisfactory.

## SICK HEADACHE?

Do you feel tired and languid? Remove the cause—take

**H. C. TABLETS**

Do you have a heavy, drowsy feeling after eating?

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Do you have dizzy spells? Have you sour stomach?

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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24, 1906.

## THE QUESTION OF PASSES.

Recent investigations have brought to light the fact that it has been a practice among the legislators of Maine to accept free transportation from the railroad companies, and at the same time collect from the state the sum allowed for mileage. A few members of the last House and Senate, have been found who did not accept the pay for mileage from the state, because they had travelled on passes, and had not actually been to the expense of buying tickets.

That was proper in so far as personal honor was concerned, but the peculiar part of it is that those men did not think it a breach of honor to accept passes from the railroad companies. In not taking mileage compensation from the state they personally did not profit by the passes given them.

At this point in the analysis we see the outcropping of human nature. The fascination of riding on a pass, even though no personal gain results, is too great for the average man to resist. There is no doubt that the practice of giving passes to state officers was originally purely complimentary, and meant no more than did the entertainment given by the private citizen to state officials who might be visiting his town.

In Maine the railroad companies have not required so much at the hands of legislatures as in most other states, and perhaps no member of any legislature has been influenced against the interests of the people of Maine because of these favors. The new regulations regarding passes may prevent the issuing of passes to members of the legislature in the future, although it is well known that the law can be technically observed and yet the customary privileges of state officials not curtailed.

It would be better reading could we record the circumstance, that in the past years, there had been a slightly manifested disposition on the part of legislators to refuse either the passes or the mileage fees from the state. That these fees became one of the perquisites of the position, is not evidence of dishonesty or bribery. The custom grew naturally enough, and the small salaries paid, has been a plausible excuse for the acceptance of the favors. The startling revelations in the Massachusetts legislature last spring, the conviction of two United States senators of frauds against the government, and the various forms of corruption disclosed in the larger cities of the country, all go to show us that temptation should be removed from the pathway, even of our Maine officials. And as a first step in that direction we should raise the pay of the representatives and senators, to a sum equal to the service they perform, or are supposed to perform.

Second, we should make it a criminal act—punishable not by fine, but by imprisonment—to accept free transportation over any line of railroad.

Third, we should limit the length of the biannual session of the legislature, and require legislators to be present and attending

to the state's business, at least three-quarters of the time of its biannual session, and a reasonable number of hours each daily session.

It is time that the people entered vigorously upon a radical demand for their money's worth from their representatives. This is none the less needed in municipalities than state and national affairs.

## THE CUBAN SITUATION.

All surface indications are that Secretary Taft accomplished a good work in Cuba, and regardless of what unknown influences may have brought about the conditions that made a sufficient pretext for intervention, Mr. Taft has surely shown executive and diplomatic ability enough in the adjustment of the trouble to make him a more promising presidential possibility than any other Republican in the country. The Citizen does not desire to be pessimistic, and certainly hopes a permanent peace has been established on the island, yet the dispatches that optimistically tell of the peace and quietude of Cuba, are coupled with the ominous information that "enough American soldiers are camped on the island to ensure the continuance of peaceful conditions for a long time to come."

The Congressional vote, as officially announced for the second district is, Charles E. Littlefield (R) 18,286, Daniel J. McGillicuddy (D) 17,217. Littlefield's plurality 1,069. It was the smallest Congressional plurality given in the state, but considering the hard battle waged against Littlefield, it is not so surprising in its smallness, as is that of Allen in the first district, where no special fight was made against the Republican candidate. In the fourth district Powers had a plurality of 3542. Considering the political character of the man, and the fact that he is only holding the fort until such time as it seems possible to enter brother Don for the nomination, his large plurality is the most surprising result of the late election. It would indicate that his own people do not look upon him as the rest of the people do.

Shiloh induces the poor souls to come here and then leaves them and sooner or later turns them out into a cold world and they must shift for themselves.—Lisbon Enterprise.

The Enterprise is published almost under the shadow of Shiloh hill, and its estimate of the character of the institution are entitled to some consideration. There is one thing that must never be tampered with in this country, and that is freedom in religious opinions, and for fear that privilege might be interfered with, the authorities have wisely let the Shiloh matter alone. Public opinion, however, can do what the law cannot. Let it work.

## NOTICE.

To the Holders of Oxford County Bonds.  
Notice is hereby given that bonds numbered 1 to 50, inclusive, of the outstanding Court House bonds of Oxford County, Maine, are called for payment and are payable at the Norway National Bank, at Norway, Maine, on November first, 1906.

The fifty bonds described above will cease to bear interest after November first.

GEORGE M. ATWOOD,  
County Treasurer.  
South Paris, Maine, Oct. 10, 1906.

A Young Mother at 70.  
"My mother has suddenly become young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Sets Stomach, Liver and Kidneys right, purifies the blood, and cures Malaria, Biliousness and Weaknesses. Wonderful Nerve Tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed by all druggists.

For any pain, top to toe, from any cause, apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Pain can't stay where it is used.

## DEATH OF MRS. EUGENE DAVIS.

Well-Known Rumford Falls Woman Passes Away.

Mrs. Eugene Davis died last Thursday at her home in South Rumford, after a brief illness from acute bright's disease. Mrs. Davis' condition was so bad that Thursday Dr. S. G. Weeks of Portland, was sent for to perform an operation, but without the desired results. Mrs. Davis leaves a husband and daughter five years old.

Her loss will be felt by the community as she was socially a great worker, being particularly helpful to the Universalist church society.

## A GOOD LAW.

The Municipal Court Imposes Fine for Breaking School Law.

Friday, October 19, Eugene Coulombe who resides in the Virginia section, Rumford Falls, was arrested and brought before Recorder Stevenson, charged with neglecting to send his son, Francis, 14 years old, to school.

Truant officer, A. L. Luce, gave testimony for the prosecution, in substance, as follows: The boy had been working in a bowling alley, and of his own accord started attending school, but not being regular in attendance, Superintendent Chase saw Mr. Coulombe, and read to him the law regarding children going to school. The remainder of that week the boy was in regular attendance at the Virginia school. The following week Mr. Luce saw the boy on the streets, and at first was told by the boy that he had been dismissed by the teacher. The next day the officer saw him about the streets during school hours, and was told by the lad that he was working. Mr. Luce took the boy with him with intention of conducting him to school, and on the way met Mr. Coulombe, who interfered, saying the boy should not go to school.

The result was the arrest of Mr. Coulombe and his appearance in court as above stated. A fine of \$5.00 and costs was imposed upon the defendant, and the lad ordered to school. The fine was paid.

## LOCKE'S MILLS.

A. S. Cole of Albany and W. H. Farnham started on a canvassing trip for L. P. Guntson & Co., seedmen, Monday morning. They will canvass in N. H. and Vt.

Mrs. Eliza Whitman and Mrs. Olive Shaw are visiting their nephew, Rossie Martin.

Charles Cross, who has been sick for some months, remains about the same. Ernest Cole is working for Will C. Cross.

Mrs. Annie Wiggin is staying with her mother, Mrs. Lydia Garey.

Harry Farnham returned home from Manitoba, Thursday, Oct. 18, and is now carpentering for E. L. Tibbets.

Rudy Cole is visiting friends and relatives in the lower part of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swift, Mrs. Harriet Herrick and daughter, Mrs. Blanche Lapham of Rumford Falls, are taking advantage of the excursion rates to visit friends and relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. D. D. Cross and Mrs. W. H. Farnham visited Mrs. Cross' relatives in the lower part of the town last Sunday.

Harry Swift has moved his family here from Curtis Corner and is building a cottage and mill on his father's farm.

Mrs. Alice Farrington and Mrs. Nellie Abbott are to have a supper in Mount Abram Hotel hall, Tuesday evening, Oct. 23rd, the proceeds for Rev. F. B. Schoonover of Bethel. Mr. Schoonover has occupied the pulpit in the Union church in this place twice a month for some time, with very small remuneration. Will all help these ladies liberally in their worthy endeavor. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Penley visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gerrish at Lisbon, over Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Coolidge and Mrs. O. F. Swan were in Bethel last Thursday.

Arthur Stowell went to Bethel last week, and went on a little hunting trip with Arthur Herrick in his auto.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Purington are enjoying a two weeks' vacation visiting relatives and friends at Yarmouth, Brunswick and other places. Mr. O'Connors is supplying for him as station agent while he is away.

E. R. Cummings and family are visiting O. DeMerritt of Ketchikan.

E. Foye, Brown is building a portable camp here, to be used by Bartlett and Tobberts Co. in their operations at West Rumford.

L. H. and F. B. Penley accompanied by four other fellows, started for Lake Umbagog on a hunting trip, Tuesday morning.

## CASTORIA

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## MAKING REAL LACE IN AMERICA.

When, where, and how lace had its origin no one will pretend to say. Spain, Italy, Belgium, France and Germany all claim priority in its invention and hand-made laces are worked in all of those countries, and England, at the present time.

Strangely, hand-made lace is the last of the handicrafts to have received special attention in this country. From our earliest history laces have been made in this country, but no school of lace making has ever been developed.

The nearest approach to the starting of the lace industry in this country has been undertaken by four Boston girls, and a very interesting article on their work, and lace making in general, appears in The New Idea Woman's Magazine for November.

From the interest shown in foreign laces in this country during the last few years, it is not too much to predict that such industries could be established in our large cities with paying results, for Americans have learned to value artistic effects produced at home as well as abroad.

## WATCHING FOR FAULTS.

"When I was a boy," said an old man, "I was often very idle, and used to play during the lessons with boys as idle as myself. One day we were fairly caught by the master. 'Boys,' he said, 'you must not be idle; you must attend closely to your books. The first one of you who sees another boy idle will please come and tell me.'"

"Ah!" I thought to myself, "there is Joe Simmons, whom I don't like; I'll watch him, and if I see him look off his book I'll tell the teacher."

"It was not long until I saw Joe look off his book, and I went up at once to tell the master."

"Indeed," said he, "how did you know he was idle?"

"I saw him," said I.

"You did? And were your eyes on your book when you saw him?"

"I was caught, and the other boys laughed, and I never watched for idle boys again."

If we watch over our conduct and try to keep it right, and always do our duty, we will not have time to watch for faults or idleness in others. This will keep us out of mischief, and make us helpful to others.—Our Young Folks.

## PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:  
At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of October, and six. The following matter having been presented for the action thereon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel News, a paper published at Bethel in said County, that said Paris, on the third Tuesday of November A. D. 1906 at 4 o'clock of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

THOMAS J. SARGENT late of Magalloway Plantation, deceased; petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Lewis Leavitt, administrator.

ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court.  
A true copy—attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of late of Upton in the County of Oxford, deceased, and gives bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Oct. 16, 1906. Martha C. Brooks

## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of WILLIAM HENRY BROWN late of Upton in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Oct. 16, 1906. Harry H. Brown.

## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of EBEN R. BENNETT late of Gilead in the County of Oxford, deceased. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Oct. 16, 1906. Milan R. Bennett.

## Sixty weeks for \$1.75.

Don't put off until to-morrow the matter of subscribing for The Youth's Companion. The publishers offer to send to every new subscriber for 1907 who at once remits the subscription price, \$1.75, all the issues for the remaining weeks of 1906 free.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

Collector's Notice and Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-resident Owners.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Newry, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1905.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners, in the Town of Newry, aforesaid, for the year 1905, committed to me for collection for said Town on the eighteenth day of May, 1905, remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at L. W. Ramsell's Hall in said town, on the first Monday of December, at nine o'clock, a. m.

| Name of Owner.             | Description of Property.                                          | No. Acres. | Amt. of Tax. |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------|
| Howard, J. R.              | On Hanover line, Lot No. 3, Range one (1)                         | 200        |              |
|                            | Land on Stony Brook, House and Lot, East corner David Smith farm, | 100        | \$3.50       |
| Ryerson, Hannah, Estate of | John Frost field,                                                 | 12         |              |
| Smith, G. L.,              | Lot six (6) Range one (1)                                         | 100        | 6.80         |
|                            | Isaac Small farm,                                                 | 150        |              |
| Harris, C. H., heirs of,   | Lot one, Range fourteen (14)                                      | 80         | 7.65         |
|                            |                                                                   | 184        | 9.00         |

Newry, October 15, 1906.  
DON C. SMITH, Collector of Taxes for the Town of Newry for the year 1906.

## STATE OF MAINE.

Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Bethel, in the County of Oxford for the year 1905.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Bethel, aforesaid, for the year 1905, committed to me for collection for said Town on the twenty-fifth day of September, 1906, remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges will be sold without further notice at public auction at the Assessor's Office in said Town, on the first Monday in December, 1906, at nine o'clock, a. m.

| Name of Owner.    | Description of Property.        | No. Acres. | Amt. of Tax. |
|-------------------|---------------------------------|------------|--------------|
| Bean, John        | Homestead Farm, Part of 32, 33, |            | \$12.75      |
| Grover, Samuel O. | The D. M. Goss Farm,            | 4.25       |              |
| Goss, Abiel       | Homestead Farm,                 | 6.80       |              |
| Hotham, W. S.     | Land on Paradise Street,        | 5.90       |              |
| Knight, Mrs. Dora | Meadow, Part of 33,             | 1.80       |              |
| McLeod, Fred A.   | House Lot on Church Street,     | 4          | 77           |
| Young, Asa L.     |                                 |            | 3.50         |

FRED B. HOWE, Collector of taxes for the Town of Bethel for the year 1906.

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We solicit your inspection of our fleeced underwear.

Night Robes from 62c to \$1.25  
Union Suits 50c and \$1.00  
Vests, good quality 25c, extra heavy 50c  
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Doomed Price \$2.00 to \$3.00.  
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Children's Shoes worth up to \$1.00. **Doomed Price 33c**  
Ladies' and Misses' Rubbers. **Doomed Price 17c**  
Boys' Heavy Buckle Arctics 69c  
Ladies' Fine Kid Shoes, former price was \$2.00 to \$3.00. **Doomed Price \$1.39**  
Ladies' Fine Kid House Slippers worth \$1.00 to \$1.25. **Doomed Price 69c**  
Big lot Men's Fine Grade House Slippers worth \$1.50 to \$2.00. **Doomed Price 98c**  
Men's Gum Overs for Felt Boots or Stockings. **Doomed Price 89c**  
Men's Heavy Buckled Gum Overs worth \$2.25. **Doomed Price \$1.39**  
Men's Heavy Buckle Arctics worth \$1.75. **Doomed Price \$1.29**  
A few more pairs of those heavy

work Shoes for Men going at **Doomed Price 98c**  
Men's and Boys' Rubber Boots in Boston, Woonsocket, Gold Seal, Ball Band and Lambertville, snag proof makes. **Doomed to go at Less Than Manufacturers' Wholesale Prices.**  
Boys' Solid, Durable Shoes worth up to \$2.50. **Doomed Prices 98c, \$1.19, \$1.48**  
Men's Extra Fine Dress Shoes worth from \$3.50 to \$5.00. **Doomed to go at \$2.89**  
Big lot of Underwear for Women and Children must go at 12c, 17c, 19c and 23c.  
Men's and Boys' Underwear. **Doomed Prices 19c, 39c, 48c** (regular values up to 75c.)  
Men's and Boys' Neckwear going at 5c, 7c, 9c and 17c.  
Hosiery, Gloves, Hats, Caps, etc., etc., will all go at **Doomed Prices**

#### Groceries.

50c Oolong Tea now 33c  
20c Coffee. **Doomed Price 13c**

Bean's Mixture, an extra fine Mocha Java Blend, 24c  
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All Canned Goods, Breakfast Foods, etc., at **Wholesale Prices**

#### Ladies' and Gent's Clothing.

Men's strong working Pants 98c and 79c  
Men's Strictly New Style Suits, perfect in fabrics and workmanship worth from \$12.00 to \$15.00. **Doomed Price \$7.98**  
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#### NORWAY.

H. J. Bangs has had the grounds about his house graded and sodded.  
Manie E. Longley has been visiting at C. M. Sawyer's at Mechanic Falls.  
Etta Nevers has again resumed the work of clerk at Thomas Smiley's.  
S. B. Hebbard and wife came from Lynn last week in their automobile covering the distance in one day. They are visiting Mrs. Hebbard's sister, Mrs. E. E. Andrews and other friends in town.  
Oscar Bennett is with the hunting party at Camp Cinnamon.  
Mrs. Freeland Howe, Jr., has been to Bangor to visit her parents.  
Thomas Thibodeau has returned from a trip to Massachusetts.  
Mrs. Horace Cole has started for Farmington, Conn.  
C. B. Cummings & Sons are regreveling the roof of their dower mill.  
D. L. Joslin has left the shoe shop and gone into the insurance business.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence DeCosta recently visited Mr. DeCosta's parents in Turner.  
George H. Bennett, who has been suffering from an attack of the grippe, is able to be about.  
Thomas Bradbury and son are in the eastern part of the state for the purpose of securing Christmas trees.  
S. C. Foster has had a thermostat attached to the heater at his residence. This is for the purpose of regulating the heat.  
Mrs. A. A. Rolfe has moved from her farm in Northwest Norway to the village and taken a small rent in E. F. Smith's house. She is here to send her granddaughter, Ruth Bean, to the Norway High School. They will spend their vacations at the farm.  
James Dunn, who has been in Norway several years and is prominent in musical circles, has gone to Auburn to work.  
A. P. Bassett is at work grading his two lots at Elmwood Park. He is thinking of building a house there next summer.  
Murray Russell and his daughter, Ada Russell, and Walter and Tena Tubbs have returned from a trip to B pond, Upton, where they have been camping. Walter Tubbs shot a 200 pound deer and Tena Tubbs a yearling doe. The others got partridge and small game.  
S. Dexter Andrews, who went to the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary at Boston some five weeks ago for treatment of his eyes, is reported as getting on nicely. Mrs. A. F. Andrews and daughter, Nellie, who are in Boston, have called on him, and he is expecting to return this week with eyesight much improved. He has been there longer than he expected as two operations had to be made on the eye.  
Wilbur W. Pride is splitting stones and Joe Lary and David Thurston are putting them into monuments on the road leading to Round Pond.  
George R. Stephenson, the boat builder has gone to the Big Kezar on a hunting expedition. He sent over a steam launch last Monday and is to have it to use.  
Hon. Harry R. Virgin of Portland called on his Norway friends last week. He had a case at the court that called him here.  
Merton Green is now the owner of the valuable foxhound "Smoot," once owned by the late E. L. Judkins, and later by Clinton Mills.  
Bartholomew B. Judkins of Norway, better known as Thollie, has become a sailor on the naphtha yacht of the New York Yacht club. He is very skillful on the ropes of the four-mast rigging.  
M. B. Tubbs joined the Tubbs hunting party at Pappoose pond last week. The Tubbs are noted shots and we may look for some big hunting stories and a long list of game as well.  
George R. Howe has accepted a position with J. W. Fitzpatrick of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. at Portland.  
Mrs. Frank Cox has gone to Somerville, Mass., to visit her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Harris.  
John A. Woodman is talking of putting in a restaurant in the basement of the Beal's hotel. The basement is now used as a sample room. It will have two entrances on Cottage street and the cooking will be done in the hotel kitchen. George D. Swift is making changes and doing some carpentering in the basement. Mr. Woodman thinks that a restaurant as he plans would pay a fair return on the outlay.  
There is soon to be a flag staff for the Norway High School. J. N. Small has been putting on the finishing touches and Charles Allen Young has done the gilding.  
Rev. Caroline E. Angell of Freeport, has been visiting Norway friends recently.  
Mrs. Amanda Hewett of Exeter, N. H., is visiting her nephew, L. M. Longley.  
Mrs. Sarah E. Putnam of Auburn recently inspected the Women's Relief Corp.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Morrison of Rumford Falls spent one day at Freeland Howe's, last week.  
Horace Cole found a silver quarter bearing date of 1806 in a potato hill on his interval.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Letch of Bangor are with Mrs. Leach's mother, Mrs. Charles Walker.

#### BRYANT'S POND.

Mrs. Cynthia Lapham of Norway was in town one day last week.  
Ned I. Swan and wife and John Fifield were in Boston last week.  
Etta L. Bartlett has closed her cottage here and is stopping in Lewiston.  
David Elphinstone and family of Bethel, Vermont, are moving to this place.  
G. L. Cushman is swamping a road from the Bemis place on to the Perham mountain.  
George A. England and family left for Philadelphia last week, where they will stay for the winter.  
James Gorman and wife have recently moved here from Danville and will stay for the winter at Ames S. Bryant's.  
Geo. W. Whitman of Norway called on relatives here recently. He was on his way to Grafton to visit his sister, Mrs. Rufus Farrar.  
Harry Jacobs has been very sick the past week.  
J. E. Hathaway has returned to his mail route after a vacation of two weeks.  
Ida Littlehale has been visiting at H. G. Bacon's.  
Isaac F. Lapham and wife have started on their return to Litchfield. They are to visit friends at Paris and Canton on the way.  
Daniel Bryant went to Boston on the excursion last week.  
Mrs. M. S. Howes of Mechanic Falls preached here last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Abner D. Bryant have returned to their home in Freeport.  
Mrs. H. F. Houghton has been visiting her niece, Mrs. John Welch, at Rumford Falls.  
Ben Billings is taking a vacation. Norm McAllister is working for him in the stable.  
Stephen Rowe and daughter, Elizabeth Whitman, have been visiting friends and relatives in Norway.  
Mrs. John Foster came home last week, from her visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Farrar, in Sumner.  
Mrs. Ida Hill Connor and daughter of Detroit, Mich., are visiting her father, Andrew Hill, and her sister, Mrs. Ed Cole. They were here eight years ago.

#### GILEAD.

Ivan Heath has been visiting relatives in town.  
Bert Brown has been pressing hay for Mr. Bennett.  
Mrs. F. N. Jordan of Pownal visited her son last week.  
August Newell, who has been very sick, is much better.  
Mrs. S. L. Morse has been quite ill with the prevailing cold.  
Mrs. Mary Wight is working for Mrs. E. H. Jordan for a short period.  
Jason Heath of Bethel is hunting and trapping through the fall season.  
Mrs. Leon Waldings has returned home from the home of her parents in New Hampshire.  
Mrs. Herbert Cole and Edith Cole drove to Gorham recently, returning home the same day.  
The Messrs. Braity, Jones and Houston from Massachusetts are spending a short vacation in town camping.

#### BUCKFIELD.

Mrs. A. K. Winslow is on the sick list.  
Gilbert Tilton is rapidly failing in health.  
Alonzo Hodgdon sold a nice veal calf to Scott Briggs, recently.  
Mollie S. Cole has returned home from a protracted visit in Portland.  
Rev. Eleanor B. Fobes of Gray stayed at her mother's home in this town on her way to Rumford Falls, where she was to preach.  
The central telephone office is about to be removed from the house of E. M. Atwood to the store and dental rooms of Dr. A. E. Cole.  
At a meeting of the voters of the Village Corporation, it was voted not to accept the proposition of the Buckfield Water Co. for lighting the streets.  
Mrs. C. Prince has gone on a visit to her daughters in Waterville and Portland.  
George H. Bridgman has sold for \$2000 a timber lot for which some years ago he paid \$500.  
Alonzo Hodgdon is working for Webb Maxim. H. L. Parker is going to work for John Gerrish.  
Ernest M. Atwood, manufacturer of die blocks has decided to vacate his present rent and erect a new factory on a site near his dry house, which he has purchased of Irish Brothers.  
Recent investigation of R. F. D. mail routes from this village by Inspector Boutelle has resulted in an addition to route No. 2 to include the Bicknell neighborhood, so called. The carriers on our two routes are taking a vacation of 15 days to which they are entitled by recent department regulations.

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#### WEST SUMMER.

Mrs. Abigail Webster has been very sick but is better.  
Horace Farrar has gone to Boston for a vacation.  
Mrs. Edie Robinson has gone to West and South Paris and Norway on a visit.  
A young people's meeting at the Baptist church is to be held at 3 p. m. every Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Lawrence from Lawrence, Mass., visited Mrs. Rosetta H. Ryerson last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Glover received a few days' visit recently from their daughter and husband from Livermore.  
Laroy Dulsifer is having a cellar dug in his orchard over which he is to put a building for the purpose of housing his apples each year.  
Jerry Brackett, conductor on a street railway at Lewiston and Auburn, made a long and very agreeable call on Mr. and Mrs. John Heald, old acquaintances, last week.  
We learn that James M. Buck and wife do not intend to move here into the house he bought of Arthur Bonney until spring, so Walter M. Chandler and family can remain in it if they wish. Neighbors will be sorry to have them move away.

#### SOUTH ANDOVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Meisner came out of the woods to spend Sunday at their home.  
Mr. Hatlen and Frank Wallace are yarding pulp wood for N. H. Godwin.  
Mr. H. M. Hodgman is putting up some nice woven wire fencing by the roadside on his farm at East Andover.  
Mrs. Mary Farnham had an ill turn recently, but is better at this writing.  
Mrs. O. W. Preasey visited her mother, Mrs. S. B. Akers, recently.  
Eben Abbott is thrashing grain in his neighborhood with his gasoline engine.  
Bears have been seen in this vicinity and quite a number of the farmers have lost sheep by the same.  
Mrs. S. B. Akers, who has been spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Holton Abbott, has returned to her home.  
Alonzo Spidell has been digging potatoes with his new potato digger for Mr. David Smith. Mr. Smith pronounces it a great success.  
Doan's Regulets cure constipation without griping, nausea, or any weakening effect. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents per box.



## MEXICO.

## Anniversary Reception.

A very pleasant social event was the informal reception given by Mrs. D. E. Dickey on the tenth anniversary of her marriage, Saturday evening, in their beautiful new home on Howard street, Ridgelyville.

With a great deal of tact, Mrs. Dickey had kept the affair a secret and Mr. Dickey was quite surprised when he came home, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nicholson of Rumford Falls, with whom he had dined that evening, and found a large party of guests assembled.

The rooms were prettily decorated with crepe paper and an abundance of brightly hued autumn leaves, which contrasted pleasantly with the delicately colored gowns of the ladies.

The prizes in quite an exciting anagram contest, were won by Arthur F. Cushman and R. L. Nicholson. A very fine musical program was given. Vocal solos by Agnes Haven Russell, Susie Virgin, Miss Matthews, Florence Hodgson, duets by Miss Russell and Miss Edith Flagg, Miss Payson and Rev. A. G. Warner, and piano selections by Mr. Cushman, were very much enjoyed. Also several violin numbers by Mrs. Dickey, accompanied by Mr. Cushman. Dainty refreshments of cake and ices were served.

Mrs. Dickey was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. The evening was one to be remembered with pleasure by the many friends who helped Mr. and Mrs. Dickey to celebrate their tenth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Lillian Casey, who had a slight but very painful operation performed in her mouth, is feeling quite comfortable.

Mr. and Mrs. Capen of Eastport were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Reynolds, Monday.

Florence Whitman was badly poisoned on her hands and face by poison ivy, Monday, while playing near the schoolhouse. Several of the school children have gotten into this ivy, and it should be looked after.

Ten members took the first and second degrees in Swift River Grange last Saturday evening.

Born to the wife of F. F. Balch, a boy, Wednesday, October 10th.

Bonnie Haynes shot a very fine red fox in the Back Kingdom last Monday, and is having the head mounted by taxidermist Nyberg.

Carroll Gleason, who has been sick for several days, entered school again, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. LeBarron have returned from a carriage drive, taking in the fairs at Norway, Bridgton and Fryeburg, and report a very pleasant trip.

Mrs. Rose White of Dixfield visited friends in town this week.

Rev. A. G. Warner went to Camden Monday to attend the Baptist Sunday school convention.

Wallace Taylor of the Dixfield Grange, was a visitor at Swift River Grange meeting Saturday evening.

Helen Roach has had a relapse of typhoid fever and is quite ill again.

Harvey Haynes and Bert Dogen returned from their camp at Garland Pond with two deer, Sunday.

The annual business meeting of the Congregational church will be held in the vestry after prayer meeting, Thursday night. It is hoped that all members will be present as there is considerable business to be transacted.

Mrs. B. F. Small and Mrs. Winnie Whitman went to Haverhill, Mass., Monday, to visit friends.

A number of people who are interested in the formation of a literary society in town met at the home of Leon Small on Whitman street, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Clarke G. Fellows, who has been sick for several weeks, is feeling much better.

Charles Lobbey, Allie Rose, Fred Morris and Hollis Singer have returned from a hunting trip along the Houghton Branch. Several deer were seen, but Hollis Singer was the only one of the party who succeeded in shooting one.

Mrs. Alice Hutchins and children expect to join Mr. Hutchins in Providence, R. I., the last of this month, where they are to make their home. The many friends whom Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins have made during their residence here, regret their departure very much.

Mary Reed, who started for Los Angeles, Cal., last week, Monday, changed her mind, as is woman's privilege, and returned home Monday of this week, instead of continuing on her way to California.

Rev. A. G. Warner, who has been the pastor of the Mexico Baptist church for several years, and who has won many warm friends during his pastorate here, read his resignation, Sunday, Oct. 14th, to take effect the first of November.

Mrs. Clifford of South Paris is the guest of her son, C. A. Clifford and wife.

M. C. McLeod is expected home the last of the week, from a two weeks' business trip in near by towns.

The diphtheria quarantine has been raised from Weston Toothaker's house on Oxford Avenue, and Mrs. Toothaker is able to be out again.

## RUMFORD FALLS.

G. A. Peabody was in Boston this week.

Miss Mae Madjer was in Portland last week.

W. J. McFarlane went to New York on business, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Rendall went to Boston Monday.

Fred O. Eaton and wife were in Auburn over Sunday.

Mrs. H. E. Ellingwood of East Rumford is in Boston this week.

Miss McMichael spent several days in Andover on business this week.

Mrs. W. B. Brittain and Mrs. W. B. Berry went to Boston last Monday.

Mrs. Gertrude Ladd of Portland was the guest of Mrs. P. E. Goding, Tuesday.

John Neal is expected home Saturday from a two weeks' hunting trip in the Rangeley forests.

Manly A. Brigham of the "Citizen" spent a few days at his home in Springville, Me., this week.

Mrs. F. H. Atwood and Mrs. Williamson went to Boston Monday on the excursion to the food fair.

Rev. G. A. Martin's father and mother, who have been visiting him, returned to their home in Guilford, Monday.

The harvest supper at the Baptist church which was to have been held Wednesday, has been postponed on account of the evangelistic services.

A. E. Stearns was home over Sunday from Paris, where he is in attendance at the October term of Supreme Court.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rowe left Monday for their new home in Waltham, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Rowe will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church, met at the parsonage Wednesday afternoon. The special business to come before the meeting, was the election of a president for the society.

Rev. E. W. Webber's subject for Sunday morning at the Universalist church, Oct. 21st, will be "The Hell to Shun, and the Heaven to Win." There will be a lecture service at 7:15 in the evening. Mrs. Wynifred Smith will assist the chorus in the music.

The teachers of the High School gave a reception to the parents and friends of the scholars, Friday evening in the Chisholm School. Remarks were made by Superintendent Chase, Mrs. Elliott of the school board, and principal Hawthorne. A very pleasing musical program was given by some of the scholars, after which, punch and wafers were served in the library. A very social time was enjoyed by all.

Emma Ersula Swift and Harlan E. Longfellow were united in marriage at the home of the bride's father, Mr. E. Sprague Swift in Farmington, Tuesday morning, Oct. 16th. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. W. Webber of the Universalist church of Rumford Falls. Both Mr. and Mrs. Longfellow are well known in Rumford Falls. Mr. Longfellow having been bookkeeper in A. E. Morrison's Insurance office for several years. Mrs. Longfellow is a sister of Mrs. J. B. Martin of this place and is well known in newspaper circles, having been a member of the reportorial staff of the Lewiston Journal for a number of years and also of the Rumford Falls Times staff. Mr. and Mrs. Longfellow will live in Virginia in the pretty home that is awaiting them and Mrs. Longfellow's many friends in town will be glad to welcome her again.

Mr. F. A. Gonyea from Bar Harbor, brother of O. J. and S. J. Gonyea, visited in Rumford Falls last week. Mr. Gonyea conducts a prosperous drug store in Bar Harbor, and while the world in general was taking a vacation, Mr. Gonyea was tied down to hard work, but now that the rush of the summer is over he is taking time to recuperate. Mr. Gonyea gave the Citizen a call, and the editor was very glad to greet an old acquaintance from the famous resort on Mt. Desert. Mr. Gonyea is one of the leading men in business there, and of a social disposition that makes him favorably remembered by the visitors. He expressed himself as greatly pleased with the season's business, saying it was the best for many years. The souvenir and historical edition of the Record, prepared early in the season and sent all over the world, probably had considerable influence in bringing an increase of visitors to the place. Mr. Gonyea is well known here and enjoyed calling upon old friends.

A. S. Leonard of Milo, Me., manager of the Knights of Macabees in the state of Maine, was in town in behalf of the order this week, and is expected to return in a couple of weeks.

Miss Ruth Helen Wilcox and Glendon Webster Stevens were married last Wednesday at the home of the bride's mother at Waterville. Rev. George A. Martin officiated.

Judge Willard G. Johnson spent last week hunting at Holt's Camp, and met with his usual luck. Mr. Johnson says that game of all kinds is very plentiful in that region.

Mrs. Nina Cook and daughter, Dorothy, returned to their home in Lewiston last Monday, after visiting friends in town.

R. J. Speed of Newport, Me., was in town several days last week. He shipped a car load of potatoes to Rumford Falls, and sold them from the car to dealers.

Mrs. W. S. Downs has returned from a visit in Boston, and was accompanied by Alice Hazlett, who has been enjoying a vacation of several weeks with friends in Boston.

J. A. Jones of Lewiston has finished the survey for the electric road between Rumford Falls and Bethel, and will complete his work on this end of the line this week.

## DIXFIELD.

A supper will be given by the senior class of the Sunday school of the Universalist church, at the Tuscan Opera House, Thursday evening.

Among those who are going to Boston this week, are Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, Mrs. W. M. Pease, Mrs. Harry Marsh, Mrs. Willis Tainter, Mr. and Mrs. John Towle, Misses Annie and Helen Delano, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson and Arthur Stanley.

The water pipe is being laid up Abbott Hill as rapidly as possible.

A party of young people took an enjoyable trip to Worthy Pond, Sunday. The party consisted of Josie Parady, Philip Lessord, Lizzie Parady, Archie Kidder, Lora Parady, Floyd Holt, Ethel Small, Arthur Parady and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Parady.

The Young People's Christian Union met Sunday evening with Miss Florence Thayer.

Miss Marie Walters, who has been visiting in Wild, returned home Monday morning.

Two of Dixfield's prominent young ladies took a walk to Rumford Falls, Saturday morning.

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## ANDOVER.

O. G. Damon is moving into his house near the saw mill.

Fred Thomas has moved from the mill house to Fernand Thomas' house.

Walter Barnes has laid a new hardwood floor in the tailoring department of his store.

Jenne and Lovejoy are working in the Misner camp on Blue Mountain.

They have some 28 men in the woods and expect to have 40 before long.

John Farrington of East Andover, while at work in his mill, fell from a staging, bruising himself severely but breaking no bones.

Pressey and Philbrick have started on a three years' contract up Meadow Brook, Bryon. They have some 40 men in the woods.

Carl Newton is cooking at Jenne and Lovejoy's camp on Blue Mountain, taking the place of Ed Rand who was burned by some hot tea.

Baker Thurston has started on a six year operation on Surplus Mountain. He has 36 horses and about 50 men.

There were several deer brought out from Echo camp last week.

Last Friday morning both Bald Pat and Old Blue were well covered with snow.

The thermometer in the village of East Andover showed 14 degrees Saturday morning.

The King's Daughters meet with Mrs. F. E. Leslie at Glenellis, Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Timothy Hastings has been confined to the house for about a week with a bad cold.

Wm. Cole of East Andover is putting an extensive addition on his barn.

Frank McAllister started last Monday on a week's trip to Boston. He is going to buy his Christmas stock.

There has been a change in the train schedule. There is but one train a day from Frye at 8:28 a. m., and one returning to Frye at 4:25 p. m. Trains leave Rumford Falls at 9:10 a. m. and 2:35 p. m. Arrive at Rumford Falls at 11:35 a. m., and 5:55 p. m.

Last Wednesday when Myra Poor went down on the intervals back of the sawmill, to drive home the cows, she

saw a deer. Her father, Henry L. Poor, went down after it but could not find it.

Freeman Bedoll of Boston is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Bedoll, on Main street.

Timothy Hastings is at Bert Dunn's camp for the winter.

Mrs. Sidney Abbott was called to Toppsfield last Monday, to see her sister who is recovering from an operation on her eye.

The Oxford North Agricultural Society paid out \$165 in premiums on stock and exhibits during the fair.

Mrs. Frank Perry has returned to her home in Somerville, after spending the summer at the Milton House.

E. V. R. Thayer has returned to his home in Boston.

Fernand Thomas has made application for admission to the Soldiers' Home at Togus, and expects to go within a few days. Mr. Thomas has been a sufferer for years with shaking palsy.

Mrs. Norton Bownes of Camp Bellview, has presented the Andover Public Library with about seventy-five books.

Dr. Walter Merrill of Portland is here for several weeks' stay.

Mr. Lincoln Dresser is shingling his house.

John Porter brought in a large deer last week.

Lone Mountain Grange met in Union Hall last Saturday. Dinner was served at noon and in the afternoon a very enjoyable program was rendered.

Mrs. George Gregg and her daughter, Annie, have gone to Buckfield for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts and family will move shortly to No. 4, to stay with his parents for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kimball of Rumford Center spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Learned.

William Gregg has returned from a successful trip to Topsham fair, where he has been racing the Hastings horse, Alalaymont.

The Rev. Mr. Haynes preached at the Congregational church last Sunday.

Silvie Casey, while at work for Jenne and Lovejoy, cut his foot severely with an ax. Dr. Leslie was called and treated the case.

George R. Easter has been replacing some of the bridges on the Byron road.

## Rheumatism Cannot Be Cured Unless Urico-O is Used.

The Store of W. E. Bosserman is the Home of Urico-O in Bethel.

The Rheumatic person is skeptical regarding the claims of almost any remedy advertised as a cure for Rheumatism and one can scarcely blame him for being so. All the plasters and liniments combined never actually cured a case of Rheumatism. They may relieve it one quarter, but it is sure to break out somewhere else. The only true way to cure Rheumatism, is to drive it from the system, for as long as the Urico and Rheumatic Acid remains in the blood, one is never entirely free from the trouble. This is where the value of Urico-O as a permanent cure for Rheumatism comes in. It seeks out the Rheumatic poison in the blood, muscles and kidneys, renders it inert and harmless and drives it out of the system. That is why Urico-O is such an admirable and effective cure for Rheumatism.

The chief reason that Urico-O is such a wonderful cure for Rheumatism is, that it is designed and prepared to cure Rheumatism and Rheumatism only. It does not contain any alcohol or other so called tonics to make one "feel good" for the time being, but it is composed of antitoxins for the rheumatic acid poison in the system. That is the secret of its wonderful success. Rheumatism simply cannot exist in a person's system if Urico-O is used.

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## BYRON.

Virgil Taylor is working at the Tripp Dairy Farm.

J. H. Thomas and F. A. Richards went to Conway, N. H., last week, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Easter is visiting friends in Boston this week.

Miss Alberta McNair of Dixfield, has been visiting friends in Hop City this week.

Mrs. S. J. Easter is visiting friends and relatives in Charlestown, Mass., this week.

Mrs. Wirt Hodson of Lewiston, spent the past week with relatives at Gum Corner.

## AARON BURR JURY.

ITS SELECTION WAS A LONG, TEDIOUS PROCESS.

Fate of the Defendant Rested in the Hands of Those Who Were His Avowed Enemies—Chosen by Burr Himself.

Only four of the first panel of 48 talesmen summoned for jury duty had undecided opinions about Burr and only one of those four expressed himself as entirely unprejudiced concerning him. The other 44 were so irreconcilably hostile that the court promptly discharged them and another panel was summoned. This second lot, however, was worse than the first and the situation grew more and more serious as the sifting process continued, one candidate after another expressed open hostility and even hatred for the defendant. At last when hope of securing an impartial jury had almost faded a talesman by the name of Morrison took the stand who, it was believed, would prove an exception to the rule. This gentleman had apparently kept an open mind on the subject of the prisoner's innocence or guilt and was willing to serve as a juror—almost too willing it seemed to the defense—and Mr. Botts rose to cross-examine.

"Are you a freeholder?" asked the counsel.

"Yes, I have two patents for land," answered the candidate.

"Are you worth \$300?" continued the examiner.

"Yes," snapped the witness. "I have a horse worth half of it."

"Have you another at home to make up the other half?" joyously pursued the attorney and the audience laughed.

"Yes, four of them?" retorted the talesman, angrily. "I am surprised there should be so much terror to me," he continued, addressing the audience; "but perhaps my name may be a terror," he added, his voice rising to a shout, "for my name is Hamilton."

This "unprejudiced" candidate was then excused and for 14 days the weary search continued without success. Not one impartial citizen was discovered in the entire second panel; and at this juncture the proceedings were brought to a standstill. After some discussion, however, the defense suggested that it be allowed to select anyone it chose from the last panel and the acceptance of this unique proposition paved the way for one of the most startling moves in this extraordinary trial.

Strictly speaking, not one of the proposed jurors was eligible to a seat in the jury box, but of course some of them were less bitter against the defendant than others and it was natural to suppose that Burr's advisers would take advantage of that fact and choose the best of a bad lot. Nothing so commonplace, however, characterized their plans and to the utter amazement of all outsiders Burr proceeded to nominate the most objectionable talesman of the entire list. Inexplicable as this surprising maneuver must have been to the general public, it was, of course, instantly comprehended by the opposing counsel. Burr and his advisers doubtless reasoned that the safest jurors would be those whose hostility had been most thoroughly exposed. The very fact that he was willing to place his life in the hands of his avowed enemies was, of course, the most eloquent protest of innocence which a prisoner could make.

JAPANESE NATION OF WORKERS.

Everybody Manages to Keep Busy in Land of the Mikado.

Everybody in Japan appears to do work of some kind; is it a country without beggars, without drunkards, and all are polite and good-natured. Nothing is heard or seen of the effect of the recent war. The people neither talk about it nor have they become overbearing or in any manner intoxicated by their great victories, but have quietly gone to work to develop their industries, to increase their commerce and trade, and to get a fair control over the new markets which the success of their armies has opened for them.

A tendency to exclude other nations from these markets does not exist, the uniform and repeated assurance being readily given by Japan's leading statesmen, that the promise of the "open door" in Korea and Manchuria will, as far as Japan is concerned, be strictly carried out.

Korea itself is gradually getting under effective Japanese control and administration, which will be of much benefit to the entirely out-of-date country, the resources of which appear to have been dormant for centuries; these with proper and intelligent administrative methods should promise rich results. The natural resources of Japan itself are probably somewhat limited, but its people are frugal, intelligent and energetic, and the burdens which the late war has imposed do not appear to weigh heavily upon them.—Harper's Weekly.

Consumption of Coffee.

According to the department of commerce and labor, during 1904 1,053,000,000 pounds of coffee were consumed in the United States, valued at \$1,000,000.

That May Help.

Girls may not convert young men, but they at least draw them to church.

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CHAPTER XIII.

A RUNAWAY.

Four days passed. I might have used the word "sped," only that verb was not truthfully applied. Never before in the history of time (so our legends thought) did four days cast their shadows more slowly across the dials of the hours. From noon till midnight there was a maddening nothing to do, nothing but to wait and wait and wait, and wait. There were no morning rides. These were white; for he was riding Pirate, a there was always that expectation of the unexpected. But Pirate behaved himself puzzlingly well. Fortunately for the jehu, these rides were always into the north country. He was continually possessed with fear lest he would make him drive through a shopping district. If he met Nan it would be, in the parlance of the day, all off. Nancy would have recognized him in a beard like a Cossack's; a here he was with the boy's face—face she never would forget.

He was desperately in love. I do not know what desperately in love my own love's course running smoothly enough; but I can testify that was making Mr. Robert thin and a pettiest. Every morning the impu came to him to tell her all; but every morning his courage oozed like B. Acres, and his lips became dumb. dars say that if she had questioned him he would have told her all; for some reason she had ceased to inquire into his past. Possibly her young mind was occupied with pleasant things.

He became an accomplished butler and served so well in rehearsals that Pierre could only grumble. One afternoon she superintended the coming. She found a thousand faults with his so many, in fact, that Pierre did not understand what it meant, and became possessed with the vague idea that she was hitting him over the groon shoulder. He did not like it; a later, when they were alone, Warburton was distinctly impressed with Pierre's displeasure.

"You can not please her, and y can not please me. Bah! Zat ees v comes of teaching a groom table manners instead of stable manners. A you'll smell of horse! I do not understand Mees Annesley; not!"

And there were other humiliations. She chid him on having the stirrup too long or too short; the curb chain was rusting; this piece of ornamental silver did not shine like that one. Jane's fetlocks weren't too long; Pirate's hoofs weren't too long; oiled. With dogged patience he tried to remedy all these faults. It was only when they had had a romp run down the road that this spirit flew away from her, and she talked pleasantly.

Twice he ran into Karloff, but the shrewd student of human nature did not consider my hero worth studying, a grave mistake on his part, as he was presently to learn. He was handsome and the only thing he noticed about the groom was his handsome face. He considered it a crime for a servant to be endowed with personal attractions. A servant in the eyes of a Russian noble excites less interest than a bloodless dog. Mr. Robert made a complaint; he was very well satisfied to have the count ignore him entirely. Once he met the count in the Turkish room, where, in the capacity of butler he served liquor and cigars. There was a certain grim humor in fighting his rivals clear for him. This service was a test of



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Nothing happened Sunday; the day went by uneventfully. He escaped the ordeal of driving her to the Chevy Chase Club, William being up that afternoon.

Then Monday came, and with it Betty's courtly determination to ride Pirate.

"You wish to ride Pirate, Miss?" exclaimed James, his horror of the idea openly manifest.

"Saddle him for me,"—peremptorily. "I desire to ride him. I find Jane isn't exciting enough."

"Pardon me, Miss Annesley," he said, "but I had rather you would not make the attempt."

"You had rather I would not make the attempt?"—slowly repeating the words, making a knife of each one of them, tipped with the poison of her contempt. "I do not believe I quite understand you."

He bravely met the angry flash of her eyes. There were times when the color of these eyes did not resemble sapphires; rather disks of gunmetal, caused by a sudden dilation of the

pupils.

"Yes, Miss, I had rather you would not."

"James you forget yourself. Saddle Pirate, and take Jane back to the stables. Besides, Jane has a bit of a cold." She slapped her boot with her riding-crop and indolently studied the scurrying clouds overhead; for the day was windy.

Soberly Warburton obeyed. He was hurt and angry, and he knew not what besides. Heavens, if anything should happen to her! His hopes rose a bit. Pirate had shown no tamper so far that morning. He docilely permitted his master to put on the side-saddle. But as he came out into the air again, he threw forward his ears, stretched out his long black neck, took in a great breath, and whinnied a hoarse challenge to the elements. William had already saddled Dick, who looked askance at his black rival's small, compact heels.

"I am afraid of him," said Warburton, as he returned. "He will run away



"I AM NOT AFRAID OF HIM."

with you. I did not wholly subjugate him the other day. He pulls till my arms ache."

Miss Annesley shrugged and patted Pirate on the nose and offered him a lump of sugar. The thirst for freedom and a wild run down the wind lurked in Pirate's far-off gazing eyes, and he ignored the sign of conciliation which his mistress made him.

"I am not afraid of him. Besides, Dick can outrun and outjump him."

This did not reassure Warburton, nor did he know what this comparison meant, being an ordinary mortal.

"With all respect to you, Miss Annesley, I am sorry that you are determined to ride him. He is most emphatically not a lady's horse, and you have never ridden him. Your skirts will irritate him, and if he sees your wip, he'll bolt."

She did not reply, but merely signified her desire to mount. No sooner was she up, however, than she secretly regretted her caprice; but not for a hundred worlds would she have permitted this groom to know. But Pirate, knew that his mistress was not sure of him. He showed the whites of his eyes and began pawing the gravel. His eyes glanced covertly at her groom, and found no color in his cheeks. Two small muscular lumps appeared at the corners of her jaws. She would ride Pirate, and nothing should stop her; nothing, nothing. Womanlike, knowing herself to be in the wrong, she was furious.

And Pirate surprised them both. During the first mile he behaved himself in the most gentlemanly fashion; and if he shied once or twice, waltzed a little, it was only because he was full of life and spirit. They trotted, they cantered, ran and walked. Warburton, hitherto holding himself in readiness for whatever might happen, relaxed the tension of his muscles, and his shoulders sank relievedly. Perhaps, after all, his alarm had been needless. The trouble with Pirate might be the infrequency with which he had been saddled and ridden. But he knew that the girl would not soon forget his interference. There would be more humiliations, more bitter pills for him to swallow. It pleased him, however, to note the ease with which Dick kept pace with Pirate.

As for the most beautiful person in all the great world, I am afraid that she was beginning to feel self-important. Now that her confidence was fully restored, she never once spoke to her looked at her groom. Occasionally from the corner of her eye she could see the white patch on Dick's nose.

"James," she said maliciously and suddenly, "go back five yards. I wish to ride alone."

Warburton, his face burning, fell back. And thus she made her first mistake. The second and final, mistake came immediately after. She touched Pirate with her heel, and he broke from a trot into a lively gallop. Dick, without a touch of the boot, kept his distance to a foot. Pirate, no longer seeing Dick at his side, concluded that he had left his rival behind; and the

suppressed mischief in his black head began to find an outlet. Steadily he arched his neck; steadily but surely he drew down on the reins. The girl felt the effort and tried to frustrate it. In backing her pull with her right hand, the end of her crop flashed down the side of Pirate's head—the finishing touch. There was a wild leap, a blur of dust, and Mr. Pirate, well named after his freebooting sires, his head down where he wanted it, his feet rolling like a snare-drum, Mr. Pirate ran away, headed for heaven only knows where.

For a brief moment Warburton lost his nerve; he was struck with horror. If she could not hold her seat, she would be killed or dreadfully hurt, and perhaps disfigured. It seemed rather strange, as he recalled it, that Dick, instead of himself, should have taken the initiative. The noble sorrel, formerly a cavalry horse, shot forward magnificently. Doubtless his horse-sense took in the situation, or else he did not like the thought of yonder proud, supercilious show-horse beating him in a running race. So, a very fast mile was put to the rear.

The girl, appreciating her peril, did as all good horsewomen would have done; locked her knee on the horn and held on. The rush of wind tore the pins from her hair which, like a golden plume, stretched out behind her. (Have you ever read any thing like this before? I dare say. But to Warburton and the girl, it never occurred that other persons had gone through like episodes. It was real, and actual, and single, and tragic to them.)

The distance between the two horses began slowly to lessen, and Warburton understood, in a nebulous way, what the girl had meant when she said that Dick could outrun Pirate. If Pirate kept to the road, Dick would bring him down; but if Pirate took it into his head to vault a fence! Warburton shuddered. Faster, faster, over this roll of earth, clattering across this bridge, around this curve and that angle. Once the sight of a team drawing a huge grain-wagon sent a shiver to Warburton's heart. But they thundered past with a foot to spare. The old negro on the seat stared after them, his ebony face drawn with wonder and the whites of his eyes showing. Foot by foot, yard by yard, the space lessened. Till Dick's nose was within three feet of Pirate's flowing tail. Warburton fairly lifted Dick along with his knees. I only wish I could describe the race as my Jehu told it to me. The description held me by the throat. I could see the flashing by of trees and houses and fields; the scampering of picaninies across the road; the horses from the meadows dashing up to the fences and whinnying; the fine stone and dust which Pirate's rattling heels threw into my Jehu's face and eyes; the old pain throbbing anew in his leg. And when he finally drew alongside the black brute and saw the white, set face of the girl he loved. I can imagine no greater moment but one in his life. There was no fear on her face, but there was appeal in her eyes as she half turned her head. He leaned across the intervening space and slid his arm around her waist. The two horses came together and twisted his leg cruelly. His jaws snapped.

"Let the stirrup go!" he cried. "Let go, quick!" She heard him. "Your knee from the horn! I can't keep them together any longer. Now!"

Brave and plucky and cool she was. She obeyed him instantly. There was a mighty heave, a terrible straining of the back and the knees, and Pirate was freed of his precious burden. The hardest part of it came now. Dick could not be made to slow down abruptly. He wanted to keep right on after his rival. So, between holding the girl with his right arm and pulling the horse with his left, Warburton saw that he could keep up this terrible effort but a very short time. Her arms were convulsively wound around his neck, and this added to the strain. Not a word did she say; her eyes were closed, as if she expected any moment to be dashed to the earth.

(To be Continued.)

When Sis expects her beau. I always know when sister's beau expects to make a call. She don't tell me, but, hully gee! She don't have to, at all. I ain't so blind but I can find The signs that make me know. When everything is straight as string, That Sis expects her beau.

I always know when sister's beau expects to make a call. Right after tea she says to me: "I think you're pretty small To stay up late. It's nearly eight."

It ain't, I tell her so, But still I'm led straight off to bed, When Sis expects her beau.

I always know when sister's beau expects to make a call. It makes her ill the lamps to fill. So she don't fill 'em all. And you can bet that she'll forget The parlor one, I know.

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### Pewter Has Long Been Used.

The use of pewter for domestic utensils goes so far back that it is hard to assign a date to the precise time when it succeeded wood. Indeed, even after pewter drinking vessels were in use, wooden trenchers were found in many households, since they were cheaper, easier to obtain, and at a pinch could be made in the house.

### Handicap of Indecision.

A man without decision belongs to whatever can make capture of him; and one thing after another vindicates its right to him, by arresting him while he is trying to go on—as twigs and chips, floating near the edge of a river, are intercepted by every weed and whirled in every little eddy.—John Foster.

### Pike Had Swallowed Purse.

A man fishing in the lake at Genard (Vosges) caught a large pike weighing about 30 pounds. In preparing it for the table the cook found a purse containing \$45 inside, and this was afterward identified by a person who a few days before had dropped it into the lake.

### Didn't Have To.

Dottie—Dick's an impudent thing, isn't he?  
Lottie—Oh, I don't know.  
Dottie—Didn't he try to kiss you?  
Lottie—Not very hard.—Cleveland Leader.

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### Jealous.

Tess—Oh, yes, the very mention of organized labor makes Miss Passay wince.

Jess—The idea! Why should it? Tess—She hates to think of all the unions being formed throughout the country and none for her.—Titt-Bits.

### WAS SORRY FOR HIM.



Janitor—Stop playing that trombone; the man in the next room says he can't read.

Dinkheimer—Ach, vot ignorance! I could read ven I vas fife years old!—Cincinnati Tribune.

### Dead Broke.

Mrs. Stubb—This paper says when a man drinks it is always hard to break him.

Mr. Stubb—Nonsense! Drink will break a man quicker than anything in the world.—Chicago Daily News.

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## DICKVALE.

Vernon Farrar was accidentally shot by his brother, Manly Farrar, on Oct. 14. The young folks of the family had attended a grange party at West Peru. At the time of the shooting Vernon was at the stove warming himself and sorting over the week's mail. Manly was at the sink behind his brother and a few feet distant, cleaning his revolver, a thirty-two caliber. In some manner it became discharged, the bullet striking Vernon in the small of the back. He fell forward exclaiming, "The bullet has struck me in the back." Dr. Sturtevant of Dixfield was hastily summoned and dressed the wound and gave his opinion that the ball was lodged in the muscles of the back near a vital part. The injured man had been working for several months past at Wild for his brother, Howard Farrar, who operates a saw mill there. The accident occurred at Mr. A. J. Farrar's, Dickvale, Peru. Vernon's many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Charles Tracy is suffering from a broken rib.

Mrs. Hattie Chase of West Peru is visiting at Mrs. Ida Putnam's.

The remains of Mrs. Abbie Keen were brought to Dickvale for burial. Mrs. Keen was formerly of Peru, but of late years has lived with her daughter, Mrs. Annie Moran of Brookline, Mass. She was eighty-six years of age. Mrs. Annie Moran and Mr. Albion Keen of Brookline, Mass., were at Job Morrill's, recently.

## RUMFORD POINT.

Omer Farwell of Bethel is thrashing in this section.

H. A. Yetten and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Marble.

F. G. James and wife went to Berlin October 21st.

Mrs. Martha Richmond is visiting friends here.

B. Gerrish and John Damon of Buckfield were in town last week buying stock.

A. R. Allen of East Dixfield shipped a car load of stock from the Falls to Brighton, Oct. 22d.

Lee Thurston of Newry was in town Saturday.

M. A. Elliott bought four cows of R. E. House last Monday.

C. K. Martin returned from Boston last Monday.

R. E. Knight and wife went to Carthage Sunday.

Lewis Lovejoy has moved his family to East Andover.

Frank Reed of West Paris and Green Emery of Snows Falls were in town last Friday.

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## CATARRH SEASON.

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With the cool nights of fall, catarrhal troubles in Bethel are becoming more and more prevalent, and W. E. Bosserman, as a consequence, finds his sales of Hyomei increasing.

At the first warning of catarrh, one should begin using Hyomei. A few days' treatment at this season of the year will often prevent a serious and chronic attack of catarrh.

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If you have a cold, or there is any offensive discharge from the nose, or tickling or dropping at the back of the throat; if there is offensive breath, raising of mucus, and smarting and irritation in the throat; if there are any of the symptoms that indicate catarrhal troubles, begin the use of Hyomei at once.

You take no risk in paying \$1 for a Hyomei outfit, as W. E. Bosserman gives his personal guarantee that if the remedy does not afford satisfaction, your money will be refunded at once. Extra bottles of Hyomei, if needed, cost but 50 cents, making this the most economical treatment for catarrh, as well as the most reliable.

## NORTH NORWAY.

Messrs. Sprone, Temple and Edwards were in town buying apples, and paying \$2.00 per barrel.

Charles Carter is still very feeble.

Miss Tina Tubbs shot a deer recently.

Mrs. Pearl Bartlett has gone to visit friends in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dinsmore have returned from the Lakes. While there Mrs. Dinsmore was very ill, requiring the services of Dr. Twitchell of Andover.

Rollin Town, who is suffering from cancer of the face, is still able to be out of doors this pleasant weather.

Mrs. Will Holt has taken her mother to Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson's fifteenth anniversary was celebrated by a surprise party. The guests came laden with ice cream, cake and presents.

Murray Russell and daughter with four others, returned from their trip up country, with game galore, including two deer.

Miss Lucia Buck is in the hospital for appendicitis and is reported as gaining slowly. Her scholars sent her a beautiful box of flowers.

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## SOUTH PARIS.

Harold Gammon is the new clerk at N. D. Bolster & Co's.

The lease of the Ideal Laundry held by C. M. Keene having expired, Herbert Tapley, the proprietor, has leased it for a year to George Howard of Auburn.

Judge Wiswell is at Hotel Andrews during court.

Work has begun on the 20x54 foot storehouse of the Mason Mfg. Co.

A. C. Jones, who has been quite sick, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Briggs of Portland visited friends here recently.

F. A. Heidner of Springfield, Mass., is at George R. Morton's.

Miss Alice Penley of Greenwood visited at J. J. Murphy's last week.

Charles H. Howard and family are visiting in Oxford and Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes of Auburn were recent guests of their daughter, Mrs. Alton C. Wheeler.

George Cook, who has been working at Bemis is again at home.

The toy shop is being painted red which adds much to the appearance of this large building.

Mrs. Frank A. Twever, who has been in the Lewiston hospital, has returned much improved in health.

Sumner Tucker has been improving and repairing his rent on Hillside Ave.

H. P. Wheeler of Portland visited his niece, Mrs. H. L. Hubbard last week.

Mrs. Miriam Stone and Mrs. Georgia Andrews are visiting Mrs. Mary Burnham in Portland.

Dr. Lester P. Gerrish, a former principal at Paris High School, has settled in the practice of medicine in Lisbon.

The Heywood Club of Crockett's Ridge, spent one day last week with Mrs. Arthur W. Tyler at Morse Brook Farm.

A. D. Park is renovating and repairing the double rent in the Howe Building on Western Avenue, which will soon be occupied.

Elmer L. Aldrich and Walter S. Sessions took possession of the Theodore Thayer meat market Monday morning.

Mrs. C. F. Chase has had her house on Western Avenue repainted.

Emery W. Bonney has moved his family to Haverhill, Mass.

B. P. Adkins has bought the Damon house that was struck by lightning last summer and nearly destroyed, and is repairing it.

Mrs. Jeanette Emery of Skowhegan and Mrs. Ella Pray of Providence, R. I., have been visiting at L. S. Billings.

South Paris citizens are greatly annoyed by the actions of an unknown man who follows women in the back streets of the town. One evening recently he accosted a respectable woman and had a revolver. The woman called to some friends from whom she had just parted and the man ran away.

A movement is on foot to hold a third term of the Supreme Judicial Court for this county, and to have it held at Rumford Falls. A petition to that effect is being widely circulated and signed by members of the Oxford county bar.

Mrs. Peter Kane and daughter, Elizabeth, went to Lewiston Saturday.

Mr. Shaw and daughter, Annie, of Portland are at Hotel Andrews for a few days.

Miss Carrie M. Clifford, who is teaching in Woodstock, was at home over Sunday.

## SUMNER.

Mrs. Alton Ames has returned home from Buckfield where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. James Packard. Mr. Packard is in very poor health.

Willis Ames and wife are at South Paris visiting his uncle, Albert Ames.

John Gerrish was in the place last Friday buying apples.

Mrs. Cynthia Morrill is no better at this writing. Mrs. Barrows is working for her.

Miss Russell is visiting at Alton Ames.

There was a paring bee followed by a dance at Allie Hadley's one night last week. About forty bushels of apples were strung. A fine supper was served and all report a good time.

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